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Basic Financial Statements
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#### Officials

Name	Term Expires	
	Board of Education	
	(Before September 2008 Election)	
Brad Rekow	President	2009
Laura Lubka Jeff Cox Daniel Schutte Jamie Smith	Board Member Board Member Board Member Board Member	2008 2008 2009 2010
	Board of Education	
	(After September 2008 Election)	
Brad Rekow	President	2009
Daniel Schutte Laura Lubka Jamie Smith* Jeff Cox	Board Member Board Member Board Member Board Member	2009 2011 2011 2011
	School Officials	
Galen Reinsmoen**	Interim-Superintendent	2009
Clara Lensing	District Secretary	2009
Mike Kruckenberg	District Treasurer	2009
Stephan Saunders	Attorney	2009

<sup>\*</sup>Board term extended per the District's transition plan for changing Board terms from 3 to 4 years in accordance with Chapter 39.24 of the Code of Iowa

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#### Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Education of Postville Community School District:

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Postville Community School District, Postville, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of District officials. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Postville Community School District at June 30, 2009, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, for the year then ended in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, I have also issued my report dated November 25, 2009 on my consideration of Postville Community School District's internal control over financial reporting and my tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of my testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government <u>Auditing Standards</u> and should be considered in assessing the results of my audit.

Management's Discussion and Analysis, Budgetary Comparison Information and Schedule of Funding Progress for the Retiree Health Plan on pages 4 through 12 and 38 through 40 are not required parts of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. I have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. I did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

My audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Postville Community School District's basic financial statements. I previously audited, in accordance with the standards referred to in the second paragraph of this report, the financial statements for the five years ended June 30, 2008 (which are not presented herein) and expressed unqualified opinions on those financial statements. Other supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 9, including the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in my audit of the basic financial statements and, in my opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Keith Oltrogge

Certified Public Accountant

November 25, 2009

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#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Postville Community School District provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the District's financial statements, which follow.

#### 2009 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- General Fund revenues decreased from \$5,609,404 in fiscal 2008 to \$5,492,453 in fiscal 2009, and General Fund expenditures increased from \$5,415,841 in fiscal 2008 to \$5,599,200 in fiscal 2009. The District's General Fund balance decreased from \$627,183 in fiscal year 2008 to \$523,632 in fiscal year 2009, a .6% decrease.
- The decrease in General Fund revenues was attributable to a decrease in state grant revenue in fiscal year 2009. The increase
  in expenditures was due primarily to an increase in instructional costs.
- The District's solvency ratio has decreased from 11.5% at June 30, 2008 to 1.6% at June 30, 2009. The District's solvency level indicates the District is able to meet unforeseen financing requirements and presents a sound risk for the timely repayment of short-term debt obligations. The District's solvency ratio decrease was due to the increase in restricted net assets for categorical funding.

#### USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information, as follows:

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the District's financial activities.

The Government-wide Financial Statements consist of a Statement of Net Assets and a Statement of Activities. These provide information about the activities of Postville Community School District as a whole and present an overall view of the District's finances.

The Fund Financial Statements tell how governmental services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report Postville Community School District's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the most significant funds. The remaining statements provide financial information about activities for which Postville Community School District acts solely as an agent or custodian for the benefit of those outside of County government.

Notes to financial statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

Required Supplementary Information further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the District's budget for the year.

Other Supplementary Information provides detailed information about the non-major Special Revenue Funds. In addition, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards provides details of various programs benefiting the District.

Figure A-1
Postville Community School District Annual Financial Report

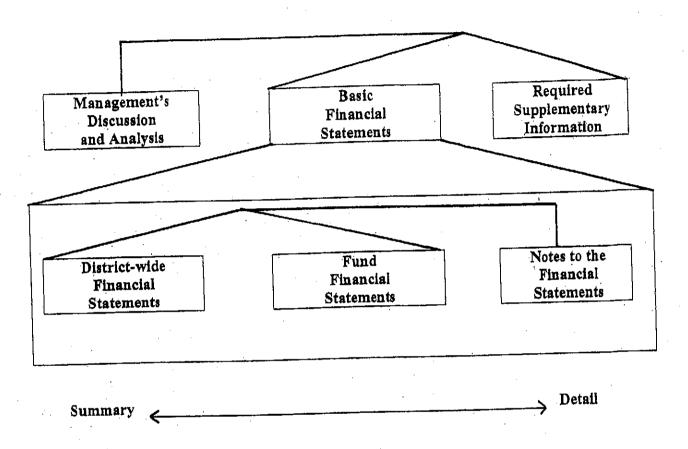


Figure A-2 summarizes the major features of the District's financial statements, including the portion of the District's activities they cover and the types of information they contain.

Figure A-2
Major Features of the Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

			Fund Statements	
	Government-wide Statements	Governmental Funds	Proprietary Funds	Fiduciary Funds
Scope	Entire District (except fiduciary funds)	The activities of the District that are not proprietary or fiduciary, such as special education and building maintenance	Activities the District operates similar to private businesses: food services and adult education	Instances in which the District administers resources on behalf of someone else, such as scholarship programs
Required financial statements	Statement of net assets  Statement of activities	Statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances	Statement of net assets  Statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net assets	Statement of fiduciary net assets  Statement of changes in fiduciary net assets
			Statement of cash flows	
Accounting basis and measurement focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Modified accrual accounting and current financial resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus	Accrual accounting and economic resources focus
Type of asset/ liability information	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	Generally, assets expected to be used up and liabilities that come due during the year or soon thereafter; no capital assets or long-term liabilities included	All assets and liabilities, both financial and capital, short-term and long-term	All assets and liabilities, both short-term and long-term; funds do not currently contain capital assets, although they can
Type of inflow/ outflow information	All revenues and expenses during year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	Revenues for which cash is received during or soon after the end of the year; expenditures when goods or services have been received and the related liability is due during the year or soon thereafter	All revenues and expenses during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid	All additions and deductions during the year, regardless of when cash is received or paid

#### REPORTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

#### Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements report information about the District as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the District's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the Statement of Activities, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide financial statements report the District's net assets and how they have changed. Net assets – the difference between the District's assets and liabilities – are one way to measure the District's financial health or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the District's net assets are an indicator of whether financial position is improving or deteriorating. To assess the District's overall health, additional non-financial factors, such as changes in the District's property tax base and the condition of school buildings and other facilities, need to be considered.

In the government-wide financial statements, the District's activities are divided into two categories:

- Governmental activities: Most of the District's basic services are included here, such as regular and special education, transportation and administration. Property tax and state aid finance most of these activities.
- Business type activities: The District charges fees to help cover the costs of certain services it provides. The District's school nutrition program is included here.

#### Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds – not the District as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the District uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs.

Some funds are required by state law and by bond covenants. The District establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes, such as accounting for student activity funds, or to show that it is properly using certain revenues, such as federal grants.

The District has three kinds of funds:

1) Governmental funds: Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds, which generally focus on (1) how cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs.

The District's governmental funds include the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, Debt Service Fund and Capital Projects Fund.

The required financial statements for governmental funds include a balance sheet and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances.

2) Proprietary funds: Services for which the District charges a fee are generally reported in proprietary funds. Proprietary funds are reported in the same way as the government-wide financial statements. The District's Enterprise Funds, one type of proprietary fund, are the same as its business type activities, but provide more detail and additional information, such as cash flows. The District currently has one Enterprise Fund, the School Nutrition Fund.

The required financial statements for proprietary funds include a statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net assets and a statement of cash flows.

- 3) Fiduciary funds: The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for assets that belong to others. These funds include Trust and Agency Funds.
  - Trust Funds The District accounts for outside donations for scholarships for individual students in these funds.
  - Agency Funds These are funds through which the District administers and accounts for certain revenue collected for District activities and related expenditures.

The District is responsible for ensuring the assets reported in the fiduciary funds are used only for their intended purposes and by those to whom the assets belong. The District excludes these activities from the government-wide financial statements because it cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

The required financial statements for fiduciary funds includes a statement of fiduciary net assets and a statement of changes in fiduciary net assets.

Reconciliation between the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements follow the fund financial statements.

## GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Figure A-3 below provides a summary of the District's net assets at June 30, 2009 compared to June 30, 2008.

Figure A-3

			Condensed	Statement of	f Net Assets		
	Governmental		Busines	s Type	To	Total	
	Activ	rities	Activ	ities	Dist	rict	Change
	June		June	30,	June	30,	June 30,
	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2008-2009
Current and other assets	\$6,215,063	\$4,675,886	\$109,581	\$99,042	\$6,324,644	\$4,774,928	\$1,549,716
Capital assets	6,591,549	6,768,154	29,993	34,992	6,621,542	6,803,146	-181,604
Total assets	\$12,806,612	\$11,444,040	\$139,574	\$134,034	\$12,946,186	\$11,578,074	\$1,368,112
Long-term liabilities Other liabilities	\$1,806,190 4,411,809	\$2,013,700 3,009,744	\$- 10,822	·\$- 7,710	\$1,806,190 4,422,631	\$2,013,700 3,017,454	-\$207,510 1,405,177
Total liabilities	\$6,217,999	\$5,023,444	\$10,822	\$7,710	\$6,228,821	\$5,031,154	\$1,197 <u>,</u> 667
Net assets: Invested in capital assets,							
net of related debt	\$4,858,050	\$4,792,355	\$29,932	\$34,992	\$4,887,982	\$4,827,347	\$60,635
Restricted	1,203,526	569,072	-	-	1,203,526	569,072	634,454
Unrestricted	527,037	1,059,169	98,820	91,332	625,857	1,150,501	-524,644
Total net assets	\$6,588,613	\$6,420,596	\$128,752	\$126,324	\$6,717,365	\$6,546,920	\$170,445

The District's combined net assets increased by nearly 2.5%, or \$170,445, over the prior year. The largest portion of the District's net assets is in the "invested in capital assets (e.g., land, infrastructure, buildings and equipment), less the related debt". The debt related to the investment in capital assets is liquidated with sources other than capital assets.

Restricted net assets represent resources that are subject to external restrictions, constitutional provisions or enabling legislation on how they can be used. The District's restricted net assets increased \$634,454 or 47% over the prior year. The increase was primarily due to the restricted for categorical funds increase of \$429,843.

Unrestricted net assets – the part of net assets that can be used to finance day-to-day operations without constraints established by debt covenants, enabling legislation or other legal requirements – decreased by \$524,644, or 54%.

Figure A-4 shows the change in net assets for the year ended June 30, 2009.

Figure A-4
Changes in Net Asset

Changes in Net Assets					
	Business				
Governmental	Type	Total			
Activities	Activities	District			
\$234,898	\$101,317	\$336,215			
1 245 461	216 995	1,462,346			
1,243,401	210,003	1,402,540			
74.052	_	74,052			
74,032	_	71,002			
1 035 035	_	1,935,935			
		414,682			
	-	2,529,804			
	2 041	89,843			
	2,041	81,199			
	\$320,243	\$6,924,076			
\$0,003,8 <u>33</u>	\$320,243	Ψ0,724,070			
\$4,162,743	<b>\$1,080</b>	\$4,163,823			
	-	1,670,682			
	316,735	317,886			
	-	604,186			
\$6,438,762	\$317,815	\$6,756,577			
\$165,071	\$2,428	\$167,499			
	Governmental Activities  \$234,898  1,245,461  74,052  1,935,935  414,682 2,529,804 87,802 81,199 \$6,603,833  \$4,162,743 1,670,682 1,151 604,186 \$6,438,762	Governmental Activities         Business Type Activities           \$234,898         \$101,317           1,245,461         216,885           74,052         -           1,935,935         -           414,682         -           2,529,804         -           87,802         2,041           81,199         -           \$6,603,833         \$320,243           \$4,162,743         \$1,080           1,670,682         -           1,151         316,735           604,186         -           \$6,438,762         \$317,815			

Property tax and unrestricted state grants account for 64.5% of the total revenue. The District's expenses primarily relate to instruction and support services, which account for 86.6% of the total expenses.

#### Governmental Activities

Revenues for governmental activities were \$6,603,833 and expenses were \$6,438,762. In a difficult budget year, the District was able to balance the budget by trimming expenses to match available revenues.

The following table presents the total and net cost of the District's governmental activities: instruction, support services, non-instructional programs and other expenses.

Figure A-5
Total and Net Cost of Governmental

Activities				
Total Cost of Services	Net Cost of Services			
\$4,162,743	\$2,693,975			
1,670,682	1,659,091			
1,151	1,151			
604,186	530,134			
\$6,438,762	\$4,884,351			
	Total Cost of Services \$4,162,743 1,670,682 1,151 604,186			

- The cost financed by users of the District's programs was \$336,215.
- Federal and state governments subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions totaling \$1,462,346.
- The net cost of governmental activities was financed with \$2,350,617 in property and other taxes and \$2,529,804 in unrestricted state grants.

#### **Business Type Activities**

Revenues for business type activities were \$320,243 and expenses were \$317,815. The District's business type activities include the School Nutrition Fund and Student Construction Fund. Revenues of these activities were comprised of charges for service, federal and state reimbursements and investment income.

#### INDIVIDUAL FUND ANALYSIS

As previously noted, Postville Community School District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The financial performance of the District as a whole is reflected in its governmental funds, as well. As the District completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$6,588,613, well above last year's ending fund balances of \$6,420,596.

#### Governmental Fund Highlights

The General Fund balance decreased from \$627,183 to \$523,632.

#### **BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS**

The District's receipts were \$411,878 less than budgeted receipts, a variance of 5.6%. The most significant variance resulted from the District receiving less in state sources than originally anticipated.

The Districts total expenditures were less than budgeted, due primarily to the District's budget for the General Fund. It is the District's practice to budget expenditures at the maximum authorized spending authority for the General Fund. The District then manages or controls General Fund spending through its line-item budget. As a result, the District's certified budget should always exceed actual expenditures for the year.

#### CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

#### **Capital Assets**

At June 30, 2009, the District had invested \$6,621,542, net of accumulated depreciation, in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, athletic facilities, computers, audio-visual equipment and transportation equipment. (See Figure A-6) This represents a net decrease of 2.6% from last year. More detailed information about the District's capital assets is presented in Note 5 to the financial statements. Depreciation expense for the year was \$351,278.

The original cost of the District's capital assets was \$14,684,756. Governmental funds account for \$14,614,946, with the remainder of \$69,810 accounted for in the Proprietary, School Nutrition Fund.

Figure A-6
Capital Assets, net of Depreciation

			Capital As	isets, net of	Depreciation		
	Governmental		Business Type		To	Total	
	Activ			vities	Dis	trict	Change
	June	30,	June	30,	June	e 30,	June 30,
	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2008-2009
Land	\$89,000	\$89,000	\$-	\$-	\$89,000	\$89,000	\$-
Buildings	5,920,010	6,119,918	-	-	5,920,010	6,119,918	-199,908
Improvements other than	172,145	184,093	_	_	172,145	184.093	-11,948
buildings Furniture and equipment	410,394	375,143	29,993	34,992	440,387	410,135	30,252
Totals	\$6,591,549	\$6,768,154	\$29,993	\$34,992	\$6,621,542	\$6,803,146	\$181,604

#### Long-Term Debt

At June 30, 2009, the District had \$1,777,386 in other long-term debt outstanding. This represents a decrease of 11.7% from last year. (See Figure A-7) Additional information about the District's long-term debt is presented in Note 6 to the financial statements.

Figure A-7

Outstanding Long-term Obligations						
Tota	Total					
Distri	ct	Change				
June 3	30,	June 30,				
2009	2008	2008-2009				
\$1,733,499	\$1,975,799	-\$242,300				
43,887	37,901	5,986				
\$1,777,386	\$2,013,700	-\$236,314				
\$1,///,380	\$2,013,700	-5230,3				

Capital notes payable Early retirement Totals

## ECONOMIC FACTORS BEARING ON THE DISTRICT'S FUTURE

At the time these financial statements were prepared and audited, the District was aware of several existing circumstances that could significantly affect its financial health in the future:

In July 2009 the District issued \$1,675,000 in revenue bonds for the Niches project.

## CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide the District's citizens, taxpayers, customers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Clara Lensing, District Secretary, Postville Community School District, P.O. Box 717, Postville IA 52162.



#### Statement of Net Assets

		Govern- mental Activities		Business Type Activities		Total
Assets						
Cash and Cash Equivalents:			_		_	
ISCAP	\$	, ,	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	1,101,164
Other		2,259,504		88,735		2,348,239
Receivables:						
Property tax:						04.004
Delinquent		81,994		-		81,994
Succeeding year		2,220,852		-		2,220,852
Interfund		40,000		-		40,000
Accounts		163,881		40		163,921
Accrued interest:						4.550
ISCAP		4,379		-		4,379
Escrow account		55,474		-		55,474
Due from other governments		287,815		4,293		292,108
Inventories		-		16,513		16,513
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation		6,591,549		29,993		6,621,542
Total Assets	\$	12,806,612	\$	139,574	\$	12,946,186
Liabilities					_	1 40 0 5 4
Warrants issued over bank balance	\$	168,354	\$	-	\$	168,354
Interfund payable		40,000		-		40,000
Accounts payable		80,457		334		80,791
Salaries and benefits payable		546,265		6,800		553,065
Accrued interest payable		3,011		-		3,011
Deferred revenue-succeeding year property tax		2,220,852		-		2,220,852
Deferred revenue-other		230,765		3,688		234,453
ISCAP warrants payable		1,084,000		-		1,084,000
ISCAP accrued interest payable		371		-		371
Other current liabilities		37,734		-		37,734
Long-term liabilities:						
Portion due within one year:						
Capital notes payable		250,786		-		250,786
Early retirement		37,255		-		37,255
Portion due after one year:						
Capital notes payable		1,482,713		-		1,482,713
Early retirement		6,632		-		6,632
Net OPEB liability		28,804		-		28,804
Total Liabilities	_\$_	6,217,999	\$	10,822	\$	6,228,821
Net Assets			_		_	4 007 003
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$	4,858,050	\$	29,932	\$	4,887,982
Restricted for:						420.042
Categorical funding		429,843		-		429,843
Management levy		114,801		-		114,801
Physical plant and equipment levy		643,153		-		643,153
Other special revenue purposes		12,889		-		12,889
Debt service		2,840		_		2,840
Unrestricted		527,037		98,820		625,857
Total Net Assets	\$	6,588,613	\$	128,752	\$	6,717,365
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## Statement of Activities

						Program Revenu	es	
		Expenses	_	Charges for Services		Operating Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest		Capital Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest
Functions/Programs	•							
Governmental Activities:								
Instruction:	\$	2,446,322	\$	90,964	\$	818,203	\$	-
Regular instruction	3	608,565	ъ	20,20 <del>4</del>	ψ	422,417	Ψ	•
Special instruction Other instruction		1,107,856		135,788		1,396		-
Other instruction	<u> </u>	4,162,743	\$	226,752	\$	1,242,016	\$	-
Support Services:	Ψ	1,102,712						· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Student services	\$	219,095	\$	_	\$	3,445	\$	-
Instructional staff services	•	152,953		-		-		•
Administration services		585,495		-		-		-
Operation and maintenance of plant services		539,990		3,701		-		•
Transportation services		173,149		4,445				
·	_\$	1,670,682	\$_	8,146	\$	3,445		
Non-instructional programs	_\$	1,151	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	-	\$	-
Other Expenditures:								
Facilities acquisition	\$	307,074	\$	-	\$	-	\$	74,052
Long-term debt interest		60,835		-		-		-
AEA flow-through		236,277						
	\$	604,186	\$	-	\$		\$	74,052
Total Governmental Activities	\$	6,438,762	\$_	234,898	\$	1,245,461	\$	74,052
Business Type Activities:								
Non-Instructional Programs:								
Food service operations	\$	316,735	\$	100,176	_\$	216,885	\$	<u> </u>
Instruction:							_	
Student construction		1,080	\$	1,141	\$	<u> </u>	\$	
Total Business Type Activity	\$	317,815	\$	101,317	\$	216,885	\$	
Total	\$	6,756,577	\$	336,215	\$	1,462,346	\$	74,052

## Net (Expense) Revenue And Changes in Net Assets

<del></del>	Governmental Activities	<del></del>	Business Type Activities		Total
\$	-1,537,155	\$	-	\$	-1,537,155
	-186,148		-		-186,148
	-970,672		-		-970,672
\$	-2,693,975	\$	-	\$	-2,693,975
\$	-215,650	\$	-	\$	-215,650
•	-152,953		-		-152,953
	-585,495		-		-585,495
	-536,289		-		-536,289
	-168,704		_ <u>-</u>		-168,704
\$	-1,659,091	\$	-	\$	-1,659,091
\$	-1,151	\$	<u>-</u>	\$_	-1,151
\$	-233,022	\$	-	\$	-233,022
	-60,835		-		-60,835
	-236,277		-		-236,277
\$	-530,134	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	-530,134
\$	-4,884,351	\$		\$	-4,884,351
_\$	_	\$	326	\$	326
_\$_		\$	61	\$	61
			_	_	
\$_	-	\$	387_	\$	387
	100105	•	207	ø	A 902 564
	-4,884,351	\$	387	\$	-4,883,964

#### Statement of Activities

#### Year Ended June 30, 2009

		Program Revenue:	S
		Operating	Capital
		Grants,	Grants,
		Contributions	Contributions
	Charges	and	and
	for	Restricted	Restricted
Expenses	Services	Interest	Interest

#### General Revenues:

Property Tax Levied For:
General purposes
Capital outlay
Local option sales and services tax
Unrestricted state grants
Unrestricted investment earnings
Other

Total General Revenues

Change in net assets before sales

Sale of assets

Change in net assets Net assets beginning of year

Net Assets End of Year

## Net (Expense) Revenue And Changes in Net Assets

Governmental Activities	Business Type Activities	_	Total
\$ 1,704,066	\$ -	\$	1,704,066
231,869	-		231,869
414,682	-		414,682
2,529,804	-		2,529,804
87,802	2,041		89,843
81,199	-		81,199
\$ 5,049,422	\$ 2,041	\$	5,051,463
\$ 165,071	\$ 2,428	\$	167,499
 2,946	 		2,946
\$ 168,017	\$ 2,428	\$	170,445
 6,420,596	126,324		6,546,920
\$ 6,588,613	\$ 128,752	\$	6,717,365

## Balance Sheet Governmental Funds

Assets		General		Physical Plant and Equipment Levy		Capital Projects: Lost		Non- Major Funds		Total
Cash and Pooled Investments:										
ISCAP	\$	1,101,164	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,101,164
Other	,	1,016,420		673,216		372,340		197,528		2,259,504
Receivables:		,		·						
Property Tax:										
Delinquent		65,664		9,937		-		6,393		81,994
Succeeding year		1,930,877		251,975		-		38,000		2,220,852
Interfund		-		-		40,000		-		40,000
Accounts		168		-		29,211		134,502		163,881
Accrued Interest:										
ISCAP		4,379		-		-		-		4,379
Due from other governments		272,664		15,151						287,815
Total Assets	\$	4,391,336	\$_	950,279	\$	441,551	\$	376,423	\$	6,159,589
				<del></del>						
Liabilities & Fund Balances										
Liabilities:					_			1.60.254	•	169 354
Warrants issued over bank balance	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	168,354	\$	168,354
Interfund payable		-		40,000		=		-		40,000
Accounts payable		69,656		-		-		10,801		80,457
Salaries and benefits payable		546,202		-		-		63		546,265
ISCAP warrants payable		1,084,000		-		-		-		1,084,000
ISCAP accrued interest payable		371		•		-		16550		371
Other current liabilities		20,984		-		-		16,750		37,734
Deferred Revenue:								20.000		2 220 852
Succeeding year property tax		1,930,877		251,975		-		38,000		2,220,852
Other		215,614		15,151				-		230,765
Total Liabilities	\$	3,867,704	\$_	307,126	_\$		\$	233,968	_\$	4,408,798
Fund Balances:										
Reserved for:										
Categorical funding	\$	429,843	\$	_	\$	-	\$	-	\$	429,843
Debt service	Ψ	425,015	Ψ	_	_	_		2,840		2,840
Other reserved		_		565,730		_		-		565,730
Unreserved		93,789		77,423		441,551		139,615		752,378
Total Fund Balances	-\$	523,632	\$	643,153	\$	441,551	\$	142,455	\$	1,750,791
				950,279	<u> </u>	441,551	\$	376,423	\$	6,159,589
Total Liabilities & Fund Balances	\$	4,391,336	Þ	7,0,477	v	771,551	v	370,123		-,,

# Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet – Governmental Funds To the Statement of Net Assets

Total fund balances of governmental funds (page 16)	\$ 1,750,791
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as assets in the governmental funds	6,591,549
Accrued interest receivable on long-term liabilities is not receivable in the current period and, therefore, is not reported as an asset in the governmental funds	55,474
Accrued interest payable on long-term liabilities is not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, is not reported as a liability in the governmental funds	-3,011
Long-term liabilities, including capital notes payable, early retirement, and other postemployment benefits payable are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds	 -1,806,190
Net assets of governmental activities (page 13)	\$ 6,588,613

## Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds

		General		Physical Plant and Equipment Levy		Capital Projects Lost		Non- Major Funds		Total
Revenues:	·									
Local Sources:	_		_	221.062	œ.	414 (02	•	140,695	\$	2,350,617
Local tax	\$	1,563,371	\$	231,869	\$	414,682	\$	140,093	Φ	88,840
Tuition		88,840		16.040		10,815		205,890		298,821
Other		65,176		16,940		10,613		200,000		270,021
Intermediate sources		2 219 166		120		_		74,131		3,292,417
State sources		3,218,166		120		_		-		556,900
Federal sources	-	556,900	\$	248,929	\$	425,497	\$	420,716	\$	6,587,595
Total Revenues	_\$_	5,492,453	<b>D</b>	240,929		423,471	Ψ_	420,710		0,501,622
Expenditures:										
Current:										
Instruction:	•	2 100 226	æ		\$	_	\$	36,660	\$	2,225,896
Regular instruction	\$	2,189,236 580,703	\$	_	Ψ	_	Ψ		•	580,703
Special instruction		950,017		-		-		140,076		1,090,093
Other instruction	<u> </u>	3,719,956	\$		\$		\$	176,736	\$	3,896,692
	<u> </u>	3,719,930	Φ.	<u> </u>	Ψ		Ψ	,		
Support Services:	\$	217,818	\$	<del>-</del>	\$	_	\$	1,277	\$	219,095
Student services	Ф	158,829	Φ	15,432	Ψ	_	•	730	•	174,991
Instructional staff services		574,077		664		_		6,213		580,954
Administration services		374,077		004				<b>5,2</b> · · ·		- ,
Operation and maintenance of		491,605		_		_		46,286		537,891
_plant services		200,638		_		_		11,769		212,407
Transportation services		1,642,967	\$	16,096	\$		\$	66,275	\$	1,725,338
and the second second	<u>\$</u>	1,042,907	\$		\$		\$	1,151	\$	1,151
Non-instructional	<u> </u>		J		Ψ			,,,,,		·
Other Expenditures:	\$		\$	132,365	\$	_	\$	174,709	\$	307,074
Facilities acquisition	Э	-	Φ	152,505	Ψ		Ψ.	.,,,,,,,	-	,_ ,
Long-Term Debt:				_		_		242,300		242,300
Principal		-		_		_		62,138		62,138
Interest and fiscal charges		236,277		_		_		-		236,277
AEA flow-through		236,277	\$	132,365	-\$		\$	479,147	\$	847,789
m - 1 m - 17	\$	5,599,200	- \$		\$		\$	723,309	\$	6,470,970
Total Expenditures	<u></u>	3,399,200	Ф	140,401						
Excess (deficiency) of revenues										
over (under) expenditures	\$	-106,747	\$	100,468	\$	425,497	\$	-302,593	\$	116,625
over (under) experiences	<del></del>									
Other Financing Sources (Uses):							_	****		204 550
Operating transfers in	\$	250	\$		\$	-	\$	284,329	\$	284,579
Operating transfers out		-		-76,863		-207,466		-250		-284,579
Sale of equipment		2,946		-						2,946
Total Other Financing Sources							_	401000	•	2.046
(Uses)	_\$	3,196		-76,863	\$	-207,466	\$	284,079	\$	2,946
,										

## Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Governmental Funds

		General	Physical Plant and Equipment Levy	Capital Projects Lost	Non- Major Funds	 Total
Net change in fund balances Fund balances beginning of year	\$	-103,551 627,183	\$ 23,605 619,548	\$ 218,031 223,520	\$ -18,514 160,969	\$ 119,571 1,631,220
Fund Balances End of Year	_\$_	523,632	\$ 643,153	\$ 441,551	\$ 142,455	\$ 1,750,791

## Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Governmental Funds To the Statement of Activities

Net change in fund balances – total governmental funds (page 19)		\$ 119,571
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, these costs are not reported in the Statement of Net Assets and are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense in the Statement of Activities. Capital outlay expenditures exceeded depreciation expense in the current year, as follows:		
Expenditures for capital assets Depreciation expense	\$ 174,673 -351,278	-176,605
Repayment of long-term liabilities is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets. Current year issues exceeded repayments, as follows:		
Repaid		242,300
Interest on long-term debt in the Statement of Activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recorded as an expenditure in the funds when due. In the Statement of Activities, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due.		1,303
Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds, as follows:		
Early retirement Other postemployment benefits	\$  -5,986 -28,804	-34,790
Interest on long-term debt escrow account in the Statement of Activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recorded as a revenue in the fund when received. In the Statement of Activities, interest revenue is recognized as interest receivable, regardless of when it is received		16,238
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities (page 15)		\$ 168,017

## Statement of Net Assets Proprietary Funds

	 School Nutrition	 Student Construction		Total
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 88,674	\$ 61	\$	88,735
Accounts receivable	40	-		40
Due from other governments	4,293			4,293
Inventories	16,513	-		16,513
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	29,993			29,993
Total Assets	\$ 139,513	\$ 61	\$	139,574
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$ 334	\$ -	\$	334
Salaries and benefits payable	6,800	-		6,800
Deferred revenue	3,688			3,688
Total Liabilities	\$ 10,822	\$ <del>-</del>	<u>\$</u>	10,822
Net Assets				
Invested in conital assets, not of related debt	\$ 29,932	\$ <u></u>	\$	29,932
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt Unrestricted	 98,759	 61		98,820
Total Net Assets	\$ 128,691	\$ 61	\$	128,752

# Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets Proprietary Funds

		School Nutrition		Student Construction		Total
Operating revenues:						
Local sources:	•	100 176	æ	1 141	ď	101 217
Charges for service/product	_\$	100,176	\$	1,141	\$	101,317
Instruction:						
Other instruction		<u> </u>	<u>\$</u>	1,080	\$	1,080
Non-instructional programs:						
Food service operations:			_		•	110 627
Salaries	\$	119,637	\$	-	\$	119,637
Benefits		40,437		-		40,437 2,275
Purchased services		2,275		-		148,617
Supplies		148,617		-		5,769
Depreciation		5,769	•	<del></del>	\$	316,735
Total non-instruction programs	\$	316,735	\$_	-	_\$	310,733
Total operating expenses	\$	316,735	\$	1,080	\$	317,815
Operating income (loss)	_\$_	-216,559	\$	61	\$	-216,498
Non-operating revenues:						
State sources	\$	3,338	\$	-	\$	3,338
Federal sources		213,547		-		213,547
Interest income		2,041		-		2,041
Total non-operating revenues	\$	218,926	\$	<b>16</b>	\$	218,926
Change in net assets	\$	2,367	\$	61	\$	2,428
Net assets beginning of year		126,324				126,324
Net Assets End of Year	\$	128,691	\$	61	\$	128,752

## Statement of Cash Flows Proprietary Funds

#### Year Ended June 30, 2009

		School Nutrition	 Student Construction	 Total
Cash flows from operating activities:  Cash received from sale of product	\$	-	\$ 1,141	\$ 1,141
Cash received from sale of lunches and breakfasts Cash paid to employees for services		101,842 -156,077 -130,209	-1,080	101,842 -156,077 -131,289
Cash paid to suppliers for goods or services  Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	-184,444	\$ 61	\$ -184,383
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities: State grants received Federal grants received	\$	3,338 190,369	\$ -	\$ 3,338 190,369
Net cash provided by non-capital financing activities	\$_	193,707	\$ 	\$ 193,707
Cash flows from investing activities: Interest on investments	_\$	2,041	\$ 	\$ 2,041
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities: Acquisition of capital assets		-770	 -	 -770
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	\$	10,534	\$ 61	\$ 10,595
Cash and cash equivalents beginning of year		78,140	 	78,140
Cash and Cash Equivalents End of Year	\$	88,674	\$ 61	\$ 88,735
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used by operating activities:  Operating (loss) income  Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash used by operating	\$	-216,559	\$ 61	\$ 216,498
activities: Commodities used Depreciation		25,025 5,769	-	25,025 5,769
Increase in inventories Decrease in accounts receivable		-3,008 1,217	-	-3,008 1,217
(Decrease) in accounts payable Increase in salaries and benefits payable Increase in deferred revenue	-	-1,334 3,998 448	-	 -1,334 3,998 448
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	\$	-184,444	\$ 61	\$ -184,383

Non-cash investing, capital and financing activities:

During the year ended June 30, 2009, the District received \$25,025 of federal commodities.

## Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets Fiduciary Funds

		Trusts					
		Expendable		Non- Expendable		-	
		Scholarships		Scholarships		Agency	
Assets							
Cash and pooled investments Accounts receivable	\$	4,189	\$	20,738	\$	13,113 1,062	
Total Assets	\$	4,189	\$	20,738	\$	14,175	
Liabilities							
Accounts payable	_\$	-	\$	-	\$	14,175	
Net assets							
Reserved for scholarships	\$	4,189	\$	20,738	\$	-	

# Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets Fiduciary Funds

	Trusts					
		Expendable		Non- Expendable		
Additions: Local sources: Interest income	\$	937	\$			
Deductions: Instruction: Regular instruction: Scholarships awarded		1,725		<u>-</u>		
Change in net assets	\$	-788	\$	-		
Net assets beginning of year		4,977		20,738		
Net Assets End of Year		4,189	\$	20,738		

#### Notes to Financial Statements

June 30, 2009

## (1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Postville Community School District is a political subdivision of the State of Iowa and operates public schools for children in grades kindergarten through twelve. Additionally, the District either operates or sponsors various adult education programs. These courses include remedial education as well as vocational and recreational courses. The geographic area served includes the City of Postville, Iowa and portions of the predominately agricultural territories in Allamakee, Clayton, Fayette and Winneshiek Counties. The District is governed by a Board of Education whose members are elected on a non-partisan basis.

The District's financial statements are prepared in conformity with U. S. generally accepted accounting principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

#### A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, Postville Community School District has included all funds, organizations, agencies, boards, commissions and authorities. The District has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the District are such that exclusion would cause the District's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body and (1) the ability of the District to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to or impose specific financial burdens on the District. Postville Community School District has no component units which meet the Governmental Accounting Standards Board criteria.

<u>Jointly Governed Organization</u> – The District participates in a jointly governed organization that provides services to the District but does not meet the criteria of a joint venture since there is no ongoing financial interest or responsibility by the participating governments. The District is a member of the County Assessor's Conference Board.

#### B. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Financial Statements – The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the District. For the most part, the effect of inter-fund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for service.

The Statement of Net Assets presents the District's non-fiduciary assets and liabilities, with the difference reported as net assets. Net assets are reported in three categories:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by outstanding balances for bonds, notes and other debt attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets.

Restricted net assets result when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net assets consist of net assets that do not meet the definition of the two preceding categories. Unrestricted net assets often have constraints on resources imposed by management, which can be removed or modified.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and (2) grants, contributions and interest restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property tax and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

<u>Fund Financial Statements</u> – Separate financial statements are provided for governmental, proprietary and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as non-major governmental funds.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. All general tax revenues and other revenues that are not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating expenditures, including instructional, support and other costs.

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for all resources used in the acquisition and construction of capital facilities.

The Physical Plant and Equipment Levy is used to account for all resources used in the acquisition of building improvements and equipment purchases.

The District reports the following major proprietary fund:

The District's proprietary fund is the Enterprise, School Nutrition Fund. This fund is used to account for the food service operations of the District.

The District also reports fiduciary funds which focus on net assets and changes in net assets. The District's fiduciary funds include the following:

The Trust Funds are used to account for assets held by the District under trust agreements which require income earned to be used to benefit individuals through scholarship awards.

The Agency Fund is used to account for assets held by the District as an agent for individuals, private organizations and other governments. The Agency Fund is custodial in nature, assets equal liabilities, and does not involve measurement of results of operations.

#### C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The government-wide, proprietary and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property tax is recognized as revenue in the year for which it is levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been satisfied.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end.

Property tax, intergovernmental revenues (shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments) and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District.

Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, principal and interest on long-term debt, claims and judgments and compensated absences are recognized as expenditures only when payment is due. Capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Under the terms of grant agreements, the District funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants and general revenues. Thus, when program expenses are incurred, there are both restricted and unrestricted net assets available to finance the program. It is the District's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, and then general revenues.

The proprietary fund of the District applies all applicable GASB pronouncements, as well as the following pronouncements issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless these pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements: Financial Accounting Standards Board Statements and Interpretations, Accounting Principles Board Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins of the Committee on Accounting Procedure.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the District's Enterprise Fund is charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

The District maintains its financial records on the cash basis. The financial statements of the District are prepared by making memorandum adjusting entries to the cash basis financial records.

## D. <u>Assets, Liabilities and Fund Equity</u>

The following accounting policies are followed in preparing the balance sheet:

<u>Cash, Pooled Investments and Cash Equivalents</u> – The cash balances of most District funds are pooled and invested. Investments are stated at fair value.

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, all short-term cash investments that are highly liquid are considered to be cash equivalents. Cash equivalents are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and, at the day of purchase, have a maturity date no longer than three months.

<u>Property Tax Receivable</u> – Property tax in governmental funds is accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting.

Property tax receivable is recognized in these funds on the levy or lien date, which is the date the tax asking is certified by the Board of Education. Delinquent property tax receivable represents unpaid taxes for the current and prior years. The succeeding year property tax receivable represents taxes certified by the Board of Education to be collected in the next fiscal year for the purposes set out in the budget for the next fiscal year. By statute, the District is required to certify its budget in April of each year for the subsequent fiscal year. However, by statute, the tax asking and budget certification for the following fiscal year becomes effective on the first day of that year. Although the succeeding year property tax receivable has been recorded, the related revenue is deferred in both the government-wide and fund financial statements and will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

Property tax revenue recognized in these funds become due and collectible in September and March of the fiscal year with a 1½ % per month penalty for delinquent payments; is based on January 1, 2007 assessed property valuations; is for the tax accrual period July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009 and reflects the tax asking contained in the budget certified to the County Board of Supervisors in April 2008.

<u>Due from Other Governments</u> – Due from other governments represents amounts due from the State of Iowa, various shared revenues, grants and reimbursements from other governments.

<u>Inventories</u> – Inventories are valued at cost using the first-in, first-out method for purchased items and government commodities. Inventories of proprietary funds are recorded as expenses when consumed rather than when purchased or received.

<u>Capital Assets</u> – Capital assets, which include property, furniture and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business type activities columns in the government-wide Statement of Net Assets. Capital assets are recorded at historical cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repair that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost in excess of the following thresholds and estimated useful lives in excess of two years.

Asset Class	Amount						
Land	\$ 2,000						
Buildings	500						
Improvements other than buildings	500						
Furniture and equipment:	500						
School Nutrition Fund equipment	500						
Other furniture and equipment	500						

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

•	Estimated
	Useful Lives
Asset Class	(In Years)
Buildings	50 years
Improvements other than buildings	20 - 50 years
Furniture and equipment	5-15 years

<u>Salaries and Benefits Payable</u> – Payroll and related expenditures for teachers with annual contracts corresponding to the current school year, which are payable in July and August, have been accrued as liabilities.

<u>Deferred Revenue</u> – Although certain revenues are measurable, they are not available. Available means collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue in the governmental fund financial statements represents the amount of assets that have been recognized, but the related revenue has not been recognized since the assets are not collected within the current period or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Deferred revenue consists of unspent grant proceeds as well as property tax receivable and other receivables not collected within sixty days after year-end.

Deferred revenue in the Statement of Net Assets consists of succeeding year property tax receivable that will not be recognized as revenue until the year for which it is levied.

Compensated Absences – District employees accumulate a limited amount of earned but unused vacation for subsequent use or for payment upon termination, death or retirement. A liability is recorded when incurred in the government-wide financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental fund financial statements only for employees that have resigned or retired. The compensated absences liability has been computed based on rates of pay in effect at June 30, 2009. The compensated absences liability attributable to the governmental activities will be paid primarily by the General Fund.

<u>Long-term Liabilities</u> – In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the governmental activities column in the Statement of Net Assets.

<u>Fund Equity</u> – In the governmental fund financial statements, reservations of fund balance are reported for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose.

<u>Restricted Net Assets</u> – In the government-wide Statement of Net Assets, net assets are reported as restricted when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors or laws and regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

#### E. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The budgetary comparison and related disclosures are reported as Required Supplementary Information.

## (2) Cash and Pooled Investments

The District's deposits in banks at June 30, 2009 were entirely covered by federal depository insurance or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to insure there will be no loss of public funds.

The District is authorized by statute to invest public funds in obligations of the United States government, its agencies and instrumentalities; certificates of deposit or other evidences of deposit at federally insured depository institutions approved by the Board of Education; prime eligible bankers acceptances; certain high rated commercial paper; perfected repurchase agreements; certain registered open-end management investment companies; certain joint investment trusts; and warrants or improvement certificates of a drainage district.

#### (3) Inter-fund Transfers

The detail of inter-fund transfers for the year ended June 30, 2009 is as follows:

Transfer to	Transfer from	 Amount
Debt Service	Physical Plant and Equipment Levy	\$ 76,863
Debt Service	Capital Projects	207,466
General Fund	Activity Fund	250
Total	,	\$ 284,579

Transfers generally move revenues from the fund statutorily required to collect the resources to the fund statutorily required to expend the resources.

#### (4) Iowa School Cash Anticipation Program (ISCAP)

The District participates in the Iowa School Cash Anticipation Program (ISCAP). ISCAP is a program of the Iowa Association of School Boards and is designed to provide funds to participating entities during periods of cash deficits. ISCAP is funded by a semiannual issuance of anticipatory warrants, which mature as noted below. The warrant sizing of each school corporation is based on a projection of cash flow needs during the semiannual period. ISCAP accounts are maintained for each participating entity, and monthly statements are provided regarding their cash balance, interest earnings and amounts available for withdrawal for each outstanding series of warrants. Bankers Trust Co. NA is the trustee for the program. A summary of the District's participation in ISCAP at June 30, 2009 is as follows:

Series	Warrant Date	Final Warrant Maturity		Investments	Accrued Interest Receivable	Warrants Payable	Accrued Interest Payable	Un-amortized Premium
2008-09A	6-26-08	6-25-09	\$	_	\$ 4,243	\$ •	\$ -	\$ -
2009-10A	6-25-08	6-23-10	-	1,101,164	136	1,084,000	371	20,984
			\$	1,101,164	\$ 4,379	\$ 1,084,000	\$ 371	\$ 20,984

The District pledges its state foundation aid payments and General Fund receipts as security for warrants issued. Repayments must be made when General Fund receipts are received. If a balance is outstanding on the last date the funds are available to be drawn, then the District must repay the outstanding withdrawal from its General Fund receipts. In addition, the District must make minimum warrant repayments on the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month immediately following the final date that the warrant proceeds may be used in an amount equal to 25% of the warrant amount. ISCAP advance activity in the General Fund for the year ended June 30, 2009 is as follows:

	Balance Beginning	Advances	Advances	Balance End of
Series	of Year	Received	Repaid	Year
2008-09A	\$ -	\$ 100,000 \$	100,000 \$	•

The warrants bear interest and the available proceeds of the warrants are invested at the interest rates shown below:

	Interest Rates on	Interest Rates on
Series	Warrants	Investments
2008-09A	3.500%	3.469%
2009-10A	2.500%	0.902%

# (5) Capital Assets

Capital assets activity for the year ended June 30, 2009 was as follows:

		Balance Beginning Of Year		Increases		Decreases		Balance End Of Year
Governmental Activities:		Orreal		Illereases		Decieuses		
Capital assets not being depreciated:								
Land	\$	89,000	\$	_	\$ \$	_	\$	89,000
Total capital assets not being depreciated	\$	89,000	\$	_	\$	_	\$	89,000
<u> </u>						- <del></del>		
Capital assets being depreciated:							_	
Buildings	\$	1,0679,836	\$	2,800	\$	-	\$	10,682,636
Improvements other than buildings		472,758		-		-		472,758
Furniture and equipment		3,198,679		171,873		-	Φ.	3,370,552
Total capital assets being depreciated	\$	14,351,273	\$	174,673	\$	-	\$	14,525,946
Less accumulated depreciation for:	\$	4,559,918	\$	202,708	\$	_	\$	4,762,626
Buildings	J)	288,665	Φ	11,948	Ψ	_	Ψ	300,613
Improvements other than buildings		2,823,536		136,622		_		2,960,158
Furniture and equipment	-\$	7,672,119	\$	351,278	\$		\$	8,023,397
Total accumulated depreciation	Ψ.	7,072,119	Ψ	331,210				
Total capital assets being depreciated,								
net	\$	6,679,154	\$	-176,605	\$	-	\$	6,502,549
Governmental Activities Capital Assets,			_	177. 107	•		•	C 501 540
Net	\$	6,768,154	\$	-176,605	\$	<u> </u>	\$	6,591,549
Business type activities:	\$	Balance Beginning Of Year		Increases		Decreases	\$	Balance End Of Year
Furniture and equipment Less accumulated depreciation	Ф	36,848		5,769	Ψ	2,800	•	39,817
Less accumulated depreciation		50,010						
Business Type Activities Capital Assets, Net	_\$	34,992	\$	-4,999	\$	_	\$	29,993
Depreciation expense was charged to the following fu Governmental Activities:	nctic	ons:						
Instruction:							\$	262,512
Regular							•	27,862
Special Other								17,763
Support services:								
Instructional staff								3,086
Administration								4,541
Operation and maintenance of plant								4,899
Transportation								30,615
Total Depreciation Expense – Governmental Activ	ities						\$	351,278
Business Type Activities:								
Food service operations							<u>   \$                                 </u>	5,769

### (6) Long-term Liabilities

Changes in long-term liabilities for the year ended June 30, 2009 are summarized as follows:

		Balance Beginning Of Year		Additions	Reductions			Balance End Of Year	_	Due Within One Year	
Capital notes payable Early retirement	\$	1,975,799 37,901		23,772	\$	242,300 17,786	\$	1,733,499 43,887	\$	250,786 37,255	
Total	_\$_	2,013,700	\$_	23,772	\$	260,086	\$	1,777,386	\$	288,041	

### Early Retirement

The District offers a voluntary early retirement plan to its certified employees. Eligible employees must be at least age fifty-five and must have completed fifteen years of continuous service to the District. Employees must complete an application, which is required to be approved by the Board of Education. Early retirement expenditures for the year ended June 30, 2009 totaled \$17,786.

### **OZAB** Capital Loan

The QZAB Capital Loan is a federal program in which the \$1,000,000 is due in ten years with one lump payment with a 0% interest rate. The District is required to deposit \$87,749 per year into an escrow account, which will earn 2.85% interest on the funds to be used for the repayment of the loan. Details of the escrow account are as follows:

	QZAB Capital Loan Escrow										
		Iss	ued	April 15, 200	02						
						Total					
Year Ending				Interest		Escrow					
June 30,		Principal		Earned		Account					
2003	\$	87,749	\$	-	\$	87,749					
2004		87,749		2,519		90,268					
2005		87,749		5,110		92,859					
2006		87,749		7,818		95,567					
2007		87,749		10,488		98,237					
2008		87,749		13,301		101,050					
2009		87,749		16,238		103,987					
Total	\$	614,243	\$	55,474	\$	669,717					

### Capital Loan Notes

Details of the District's June 30, 2009 capital loan notes indebtedness are as follows:

	Capital Loan - PPEL										
			Issued M	lay l	, 2002						
Year Ending June 30,	Interest Rates		Principal	Interest			Total				
2010	4.2%	S	65,000	\$	8,830	\$	73,830				
2011	4.25%	•	70,000	_	6,165		76,165				
2012	4.3%		75,000		3,225		78,225				
Total		\$	210,000	\$	18,220	\$	228,220				
		Capital Loan – LOST									
		(Local Option Sales Tax)									
	Issued September 1, 2002										
Year Ending	Interest						T-4-1				
June 30,	Rates		Principal		Interest		Total				
2010	4.1%	\$	165,000	\$	19,646	\$	184,646				
2011	4.25%		170,000		12,880		182,880				
2012	4.35%		130,000		5,656	***	135,656				
Total		\$	465,000	\$	38,182	\$	490,182				
		Capital Loan – PPEL Issued June 6, 2009									
Year Ending	Interest										
June 30,	Rates		Principal		Interest		Total				
2010	5.5%	\$	20,786	\$	3,214	\$	24,000				
2011	5.5%		19,429		2,071		21,500				
2012	5.5%		18,251		1,005		19,256				
Total		\$	58,499	\$	6,290	\$_	64,789				

The District entered into a lease purchase agreement with Wells Fargo Bank in February 2002 for the purchase of exercise equipment for \$207,984.10. Under a three-year lease, \$6,412.44 monthly payments are due. The District had a school participation agreement with the National School Fitness Foundation (NSFF) which was to reimburse the District for these lease payments. In April 2004, the NSFF filed bankruptcy and has made one payment of \$9,881.46 to the District as of June 30, 2009.

During the year ended June 30, 2009, the District made principal, interest, and fees payments totaling \$284,329 under the agreements.

### (7) Pension and Retirement Benefits

The District contributes to the Iowa Public Employees Retirement System (IPERS), which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of Iowa. IPERS provides retirement and death benefits, which are established by state statute to plan members and beneficiaries. IPERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The report may be obtained by writing to IPERS, P. O. Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa, 50306-9117.

Plan members are required to contribute 4.10% of their annual covered salary and the District is required to contribute 6.35% of annual covered salary. Contribution requirements are established by state statute. The District's contributions to IPERS for the years ended June 30, 2009, 2008 and 2007 were \$215,427, \$195,860, and \$180,437, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

### (8) Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

The District implemented GASB Statement No. 45, <u>Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits other Than Pensions</u> during the year ended June 30, 2009.

<u>Plan Description</u> – The District is a member of a twelve school trust – (NEISIT) Northeast Iowa Schools Insurance Trust. Each school provided active and retired employee information. The plan provides medical benefits to retirees and their spouses. The District had 68 active and 6 retired members in the plan. Participants must be 55 or older at retirement.

The medical/prescription drug coverage is provided through a fully-insured plan with Wellmark. Retirees under age 65 pay the same premium for the medical/prescription drug benefit as active employees, which results in an implicit subsidy and an OPEB liability.

<u>Funding Policy</u> – The contribution requirements of plan members are established and may be amended by the District. The District currently finances the retiree benefit plan on a pay-as-you-go basis.

Annual OPEB Cost and Net OPEB Obligation – The District's annual OPEB cost is calculated based on the annual required contribution (ARC) of the District, an amount actuarially determined in accordance with GASB Statement No. 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities over a period not to exceed 30 years.

The following table shows the components of the District's annual OPEB cost for the year ended June 30, 2009, the amount actually contributed to the plan and changes in the County's net OPEB obligation:

Annual required contribution	\$ 28,804
Interest on net OPEB obligation	-
Adjustment to annual required contribution	 <u> </u>
Annual OPEB cost	\$ 28,804
Contributions made	
Increase in net OPEB obligation	\$ 28,804
Net OPEB obligation beginning of year	 
Net OPEB obligation end of year	\$ 28,804

For calculation of the net OPEB obligation, the actuary has set the transition day as July 1, 2008. The end of year net OPEB obligation was calculated by the actuary as the cumulative difference between the actuarially determined funding requirements and the actual contributions for the year ended June 30, 2009.

For the year ended June 30, 2009, the District contributed \$0 to the medical plan. Plan members eligible for benefits contributed \$0 of the premium costs.

The District's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the plan and the net OPEB obligation as of June 30, 2009 are summarized as follows:

		Percentage of	Net
Year	Annual	Annual OPEB	OPEB
Ended	OPEB Cost	Cost Contributed	Obligation
June 30, 2009	\$28,804	0%	\$28,804

Funded Status and Funding Progress – As of July 1, 2008, the most recent actuarial valuation date for the period July 1, 2008 through June 30, 2009, the actuarial accrued liability was \$437,197, with no actuarial value of assets, resulting in an unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) of \$437,197. The covered payroll (annual payroll of active employees covered by the plan) was approximately \$2,915,000, and the ratio of the UAAL to covered payroll was 14.9%. As of June 30, 2009, there were no trust fund assets.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions – Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality and the health care cost trend. Actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information in the section following the Notes to Financial Statements, will present multiyear trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liabilities for benefits.

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the plan as understood by the employer and the plan members include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the employer and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

As of July 1, 2008 actuarial valuation date, the unit credit actuarial cost method was used. The actuarial assumptions include a 2.5% discount rate. The projected annual medical trend rate is 6%.

Mortality rates are from the RP2000 Group Annuity Mortality Table, applied on a gender-specific basis. Annual retirement and termination probabilities were developed from the retirement probabilities from the IPERS Actuarial Report as of June 30, 2007 and applying the termination factors used in the IPERS Actuarial Report as of June 30, 2007.

Projected claim costs of the medical plan are \$430.47 per month for retirees less than age 65. The UAAL is being amortized as a level percentage of projected payroll expense on an open basis over 30 years.

### (9) Risk Management

Postville Community School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft; damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by the purchase of commercial insurance. The District assumes liability for any deductibles and claims in excess of coverage limitations. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

### (10) Area Education Agency

The District is required by the Code of Iowa to budget for its share of special education support, media and educational services provided through the area education agency. The District's actual amount for this purpose totaled \$236,277 for the year ended June 30, 2009 and is recorded in the General Fund by making a memorandum adjusting entry to the cash basis financial statements.

## (11) Construction Commitments

The District has been approved for an \$850,000 Vision Iowa Grant to remodel the old gymnasium building used by the YMCA. The cost of the \$2 million plus remodeling project will be shared by the district, the city of Postville, the county and the YMCA in 2009. (known as Project Niches)

The District has issued in July of 2009, \$1.675 million in revenue bonds for the construction of Project Niches.



# Budgetary Comparison Schedule of Revenue, Expenditures and Changes in Balances – Budget and Actual – All Governmental Funds and Proprietary Fund

### **Required Supplementary Information**

		Governmental Funds Actual		Proprietary Fund Actual
Receipts:	\$	2,738,278	\$	103,358
Local sources	Φ	2,730,270	J	-
Intermediate sources		3,218,365		3,338
State sources		630,952		213,547
Federal sources Total Receipts	\$	6,587,595	\$	320,243
Disbursements:	\$	3,896,692	\$	1,080
Instruction	Φ	1,725,338	Φ	1,000
Support services		1,151		316,735
Non-instructional programs		847,789		-
Other expenditures Total Disbursements	\$	6,470,970	\$_	317,815
Excess (deficiency) of receipts over (under) disbursements	\$	116,625	\$	2,428
Other financing sources, net		2,946		<u> </u>
Excess (deficiency) of receipts and other financing sources over (under) disbursements and				
other financing uses	\$	119,571	\$	2,428
Balances beginning of year		1,631,220		126,324
Balances End of Year	\$	1,750,791	\$	128,752

	Total Actual	_	Budgeted Amounts Original	Final to Actual
\$	2,841,636	\$	2,966,496	\$ -124,860
	-		-	-
	3,221,703		3,669,820	-448,117
	844,499		683,400	 161,099
\$	6,907,838	\$	7,319,716	\$ -411,878
\$	3,897,772	\$	4,585,034	\$ 687,262
	1,725,338		2,361,650	636,312
	317,886		478,646	160,760
	847,789		3,069,062	2,221,273
\$	6,788,785	\$	10,494,392	\$ 3,705,607
\$	119,053	\$	-3,174,676	\$ 3,293,729
	2,946		336,966	-334,020
\$	121,999	\$	-2,837,710	\$ 2,959,709
-	1,757,544		2,840,487	-1,082,943
			·	
\$	1,879,543	\$	2,777	\$ 1,876,766

## Notes to Required Supplementary Information - Budgetary Reporting

### Year Ended June 30, 2009

This budgetary comparison is presented as Required Supplementary Information in accordance with <u>Governmental Accounting Standards Board</u> Statement No. 41 for governments with significant budgetary perspective differences resulting from not being able to present budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund.

In accordance with the Code of Iowa, the Board of Education annually adopts a budget following required public notice and hearing for all funds except Trust and Agency Funds. The budget may be amended during the year utilizing similar statutorily prescribed procedures. The District's budget is prepared on a GAAP basis.

Formal and legal budgetary control for the certified budget is based upon four major classes of expenditures known as functions, not by fund. These four functions are instruction, support services, non-instructional programs and other expenditures. Although the budget document presents function expenditures or expenses by fund, the legal level of control is at the aggregated functional level, not by fund. The Code of Iowa also provides District expenditures in the General Fund may not exceed the amount authorized by the school finance formula.

### Schedule of Funding Progress for the Retiree Health Plan (In Thousands)

# Required Supplementary Information

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	AUUL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll ((b-a)/c)
July 1, 2008	<u>-</u>	\$437	\$437	0.0%	\$2,915	14.9%

See Note 8 in the accompanying Notes to Financial Statements for the plan description, funding policy, annual OPEB Cost and Net OPEB Obligation, funded status and funding progress.



### Combining Balance Sheet Non-Major Special Revenue Funds

### June 30, 2009

						Special R					
		Capital Projects	Debt Service			Management Levy		Student Activity		Total	
Assets					•		•	10 555	e	107 679	
Cash and pooled investments	\$	-	\$	2,840	\$	182,133	\$	12,555	\$	197,528	
Receivables:											
Property Tax:						6,393		_		6,393	
Delinquent		-		<b>-</b>		38,000		-		38,000	
Succeeding year		134,052		_		50,000		450		134,502	
Accounts	-	134,032							-		
Total Assets	\$	134,052	\$	2,840	\$	226,526	\$	13,005	\$	376,423	
Liabilities & Fund Equity											
Liabilities:									•	160 254	
Warrants issued over bank balance	\$	168,354	\$	-	\$		\$	-	\$	168,354	
Accounts payable		9,714		-		1,034		53 63		10,801 63	
Salaries and benefits payable		-		-		₩		. 03		0.5	
Deferred revenue:						38,000				38,000	
Succeeding year property tax		16 750		-		38,000		_		16,750	
Other current liabilities	-\$	16,750 194,818	\$	-	\$	39,034	\$	116	\$	233,968	
Total Liabilities	3	194,010	Ф.		4	37,034	Ψ				
Fund Equity:										• • • •	
Reserved		-		2,840		-		-		2,840	
Unreserved fund balances		-60,766				187,492		12,889		139,615	
Total Fund Equity	_\$	-60,766	\$_	2,840	\$	187,492	\$	12,889	\$	142,455	
Total Liabilities & Fund Equity	\$	134,052	\$	2,840	\$	226,526	\$	13,005	\$_	376,423	

### Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Non-Major Special Revenue Funds

	_					Special R				
		Capital		Debt		Management		Student		T - 4 - 1
		Projects		Service		Levy		Activity		Total
Revenues:										
Local Sources:	<b>.</b>		dt.		\$	140,695	\$	_	\$	140,695
Local tax	\$	-	\$	-	D	12,367	Ф	133,470	Φ	205,890
Other		60,000		53		12,367 79		155,470		74,131
State sources		74,052				153,141	\$	133,470	\$	420,716
Total Revenues	\$	134,052	\$	53	\$	133,141	D	133,470	J)	420,710
Expenditures:										
Current:										
Instruction:							_		•	26.660
Regular instruction	\$	-	\$	-	\$	36,660	\$	-	\$	36,660
Other instruction		-		-		-		140,076		140,076
Support Services:										1 277
Student support services		-		-		1,277		-		1,277
Instructional staff services		-		-		730		-		730
Administration services		-		-		6,213		-		6,213
Operation and maintenance of plant services		-		-		46,286		-		46,286
Transportation services		-		-		11,769		-		11,769
Non-instructional programs		-		-		1,151		-		1,151
Other Expenditures:										174700
Facilities acquisition		174,709		-		-		-		174,709
Long-Term Debt:										242 200
Principal		-		242,300		-		-		242,300
Interest and fiscal charges		20,109		42,029						62,138
Total Expenditures	_\$_	194,818	\$_	284,329	\$	104,086	\$	140,076	\$	723,309
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under)										
expenditures	_\$_	-60,766	\$	-284,276	\$	49,055	\$	-6,606	\$	-302,593
Other Financing Sources (Uses):										
Operating transfers in (out)	_\$_		\$	284,329	\$		\$	-250	\$	-284,079
Excess (deficiency) of revenues & other financing sources over (under) expenditures & other	_	-0 <b>-</b> 0.	•	52	<b>.</b>	10.055	ď	-6,856	\$	-18,514
financing uses	\$	-60,766	\$	53	\$		Ф	19,745	J3	160,969
Fund balances beginning of year				2,787		138,437		17,743		100,707
Fund Balances End of Year		-60,766	\$	2,840	\$	187,492	\$	12,889	\$	142,455

# Schedule of Changes in Special Revenue Fund, Student Activity Accounts

	Balance Beginning		Revenues and Inter-fund	Expenditures and Inter-fund	Intra- Fund	Operating	Balance End of Year
Account	Of Year		Transfers	 Transfers	 Transfers	Transfer	 T Cal
Drama	\$ 686	\$	5,256	\$ 5,297	\$ -645	\$ -	\$ -
Vocal music	_		, <u> </u>	38	38	-	-
High School golf			35	502	467	-	-
High School boys basketball	•		4,810	5,979	1,169	-	-
High School boys football	-		6,092	4,850	-1,242	-	-
High School baseball	-253		5,014	7,115	2,352	-	-2
High School boys track	100		910	1,751	741	-	-
High School wrestling	-		1,687	1,697	10	-	-
High School girls basketball	213		3,093	2,261	-1,045	-	-
High School volleyball	-		2,141	4,213	2,072	-	-
High School softball	-		1,612	2,614	1,002	-	-
High School girls track			990	2,146	1,156	-	-
Class of 2010	-		15,227	13,334	-1,002	-	891
Class of 2009	1,781		230	4552	2,541	-	-
High School student council	642		8,630	6,487	-2,604	-	181
FCCLA	2,136		8,991	9,409	-	-	1,718
Peer Helpers	682		960	927	-183	-	532
Mirror	6,929		8,497	8,408	357	-	7,375
Cheerleaders	-450		4,871	3,763	-	-	658
National Honor Society	-142		-	152	294	-	-
Magazines	10	+	11,921	9,465	-2,466	-	-
Elementary student council	488		4,369	2,071	-2,713	-	73
Interest account	342		1,112	778	-656	-	20
Resale basketball			52	52	-	-	~
Resale band	1,275		621	1,348	-	-	548
Resale Home Economics	,		231	236	5	-	-
FFA	5,056	,	23,847	26,378	-1,707	-	818
High School boys soccer	,		227	391	164	-	-
Girls cross country			-	225	225	-	-
Athletics	250	)	12,034	11,269	-688	-250	77
Middle School boys basketball		-	-	715	715	-	-
Middle School football			-	270	270	-	-
Middle School boys track			5	130	125	-	-
Middle School wrestling			-	220	220	-	-
Middle School girls basketball		•	•	338	338	-	-
Middle School volleyball		-	-	500	500	-	-
Middle School girls track		<u>-</u>	5	195	190	-	
Total	\$ 19,74	5 \$	133,470	\$ 140,076	\$ -	\$ -250	\$ 12,889

# Schedule of Changes in Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities -Agency Funds – Summary

		Balance Beginning of Year	Additions	Deductions	 Balance End of Year
Assets Cash Accounts receivable	\$	16,214 924	\$ 69,701 1,062	\$ 72,802 924	\$ 13,113 1,062
Total Assets	_\$	17,138	\$ 70,763	\$ 73,726	\$ 14,175
Liabilities Accounts payable	\$	17,138	\$ 70,763	\$ 73,726	\$ 14,175
Total Liabilities	\$	17,138	\$ 70,763	\$ 73,726	\$ 14,175

# Schedule of Changes in Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities -Agency Funds – Detail

		Balance Beginning of Year	 Additions_	 Deductions	 Balance End of Year
Music events	\$	51	\$ 4,612	\$ 4,626	\$ 37
Band boosters		3,123	19,330	22,653	-200
Athletic events		, -	14,431	14,428	3
Climate committee		428	627	417	638
Retiree insurance		6,425	24,147	25,718	4,854
Bell fund		2,265	-	-	2,265
Outdoor bulletin		1,869	-	-	1,869
Production class		1	-	-	1
Spanish Club		2,724	5,809	4,409	4,124
Music event		252	332	-	584
Upper Iowa Conference		-	1,475	1,475	
Total	\$_	17,138	\$ 70,763	\$ 73,726	\$ 14,175

# Combining Balance Sheet Expendable Trust Funds

# June 30, 2009

		Knutson Scholarship			Capper Scholarship		Total	
Assets Cash	\$	3,297	\$	392	\$	500	\$ 4,189	
Total Assets		3,297	\$	392	\$	500	\$ 4,189	
Liabilities and Fund Equity Liabilities	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	
Fund equity: Fund Balances: Unreserved, undesignated fund balance		3,297		392		500	 4,189	
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity		3,297	\$	392	\$	500	\$ 4,189_	

# Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Expendable Trust Funds

	1411-441		Harnack Scholarship	Capper Scholarship		Total
Revenues: Local Sources: Interest from non-expendable trust fund investments	\$ 43	\$	393	\$	501	\$ 937
Expenditures: Instruction: Regular Instruction: Scholarships	 700		519		506	1,725
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	\$ -657	\$	-126	\$	-5	\$ -788
Fund balances beginning of year	 3,954		518		505	 4,977
Fund Balances End of Year	\$ 3,297	\$	392	\$	500	\$ 4,189

# Schedule of Revenues by Source and Expenditures by Function All Governmental Funds

### For the Last Six Years

		Modified Accrual Basis				
		2009		2008		2007
Revenues:	<u></u>					
Local Sources:					_	
Local tax	\$	2,350,617	\$	2,322,407	\$	1,860,460
Tuition		88,840		87,343		85,582
Other		298,821		263,029		700,245
Intermediate sources		<u>-</u>				
State sources		3,292,417		3,428,842		3,144,829
Federal sources		556,900		440,658		564,698
Total		6,587,595	\$	6,542,279	\$	6,355,814
Expenditures:						
Instruction:						0.006.156
Regular instruction	\$	2,225,896	\$	2,169,542	\$	2,086,176
Special instruction		580,703		608,506		515,919
Other instruction		1,090,093		969,838		890,610
Support services:		212.005		211022		210 224
Student services		219,095		211,933		218,324
Instructional staff services		174,991		181,102		124,230
Administrative services		580,954		628,033		775,557
Operation and maintenance of plant services		537,891		558,463		550,541
Transportation services		212,470		241,865		150,505
Community services		<del>-</del>				40,753
Non-instructional programs		1,151		1,160		940
Other expenditures:						227.711
Facilities acquisition		307,074		21,313		326,711
Long-term debt:						220 655
Principal		242,300		229,016		239,655
Interest and other charges		62,138		51,120		60,580
AEA flow-through	<u></u>	236,277		226,362		211,275
Total	_ \$_	6,470,970	\$	6,098,253	\$	6,191,776

	Modified Accrual Basis						
	2006		2005		2004		
\$	1,783,127	\$	1,630,556	\$	1,585,891		
	98,971		140,600		142,490		
	643,009		510,984		608,632		
	-		-		-		
	2,908,432		2,726,816		2,505,501		
	739,724		408,382		689,604		
	6 172 262	¢	5 /117 229	\$	5,532,118		
	6,173,263	\$	5,417,338	D.	3,332,110		
\$	1,971,723	\$	1,975,912	\$	2,042,077		
	499,879		554,142		802,373		
	803,014		795,634		505,707		
	166,615		127,274		119,340		
	224,379		101,620		76,982		
	653,175		540,534		471,885		
	527,793		466,425		659,882		
	180,352		145,485		162,122		
	16,260		-		10,734		
	996		1,174		-		
	509,799		13,245		2,048,687		
	317,432		263,038		277,749		
	64,976		75,497		71,780		
	197,612		191,485		192,936		
		\$	5,251,465	\$	7,442,254		
_ 4>	6,134,005	Φ	2,221,702	Ψ	7,4-1-0-2-7-7		

### Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

### Year Ended June 30, 2009

	CFDA Number	Grant Number	Ex	cpenditures
Grantor/Program	Ivallibei	(vanioe)		<u> </u>
Indirect:				
U.S. Department of Agriculture:  Iowa Department of Education:				
Food Distribution (non-cash)	10.550	FY09	\$	25,025
rood Distribution (non-cash)			-	
School Nutrition Cluster Programs:				
School Breakfast Program	10,553	FY09	\$	40,024
National School Lunch Program	10.555	FY09		135,796
Summer Food Service Program	10.559	FY09		8,681
Child and Adult Care Food Program-Snack Program	10.558	FY09		4,021
•			\$	188,522
U.S. Department of Education:				
Iowa Department of Education:	84.010	EVAA	¢	233,714
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010	FY09	<u>\$</u> \$	127,810
Title I Grants Migrant Education	84.011	FY09	<u> </u>	127,810
Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities - State Grant - indirect	01.101	EVA	¢.	10.621
Allamakee	84.184	FY09	\$	18,621 4,055
Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities – State Grant	84,186	FY09	\$	
Part B One Year Transition Survey	84.027	FY09	3	2,275
Part B-AEA	84.027	FY09	\$	37,093
Title IIC Carl Perkins	84.048	FY09		1,196
Title III English Language Acquisition Grant	84.365	FY09	\$ \$ \$ \$	9,466
Improving Teacher Quality Program	84.367	FY09		31,526
Rural Education Achievement Program	84.358	FY09		21,888
Title VI Assessments	84.369	FY09	\$	3,445
Title III Immigrant	84,162	FY09	\$	9,388
Title III English-AEA	84.365	FY09	\$	19,267_
Title IID-E2T2-AEA	84.318	FY09	\$	2,258
THE HD-E212-ADA				
U.S. Department of Health & Human Services:				
Iowa Department of Education:				
Medical Assistance Program	93.778	FY09		34,898
<del>-</del>			ď	770 447
Total				770,447

Basis of Presentation - The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the federal grant activity of Postville Community School District and is presented on the accrual basis of accounting. The information on this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, <u>Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations</u>. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements.

Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters

Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

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To the Board of Education of Postville Community School District:

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Postville Community School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2009, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents, and have issued my report thereon dated November 25, 2009. I conducted my audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States

### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing my audit, I considered the Postville Community School District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing my opinion on the effectiveness of Postville Community School District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Postville Community School District's internal control over financial reporting.

My consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, I identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that I consider to be significant deficiencies and other deficiencies I consider to be material weaknesses.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of the control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects Postville Community School District's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood a misstatement of Postville Community School District's financial statements that is more inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by Postville Community School District's internal control. I consider the deficiencies in internal control described in Part II of the accompanying Schedule of Findings to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies that results in more than a remote likelihood a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by Postville Community School District's internal control.

My consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be significant deficiencies and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all significant deficiencies that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, of the significant deficiencies described above, I believe item II-A-09 is a material weakness.

### Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Postville Community School District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, I performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of my audit and, accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The results of my tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards. However, I noted certain immaterial instances of noncompliance or other matters that are described in Part IV of the accompanying Schedule of Findings.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the District's operations for the year ended June 30, 2009 are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during my audit of the financial statements of the District. Since my audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

Postville Community School District's responses to findings identified in my audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings. While I have expressed my conclusions on the District's responses, I did not audit Postville Community School District's responses and, accordingly, I express no opinion on them.

This report, a public record by law, is intended solely for the information and use of the officials, employees and citizens of Postville Community School District and other parties to whom Postville Community School District may report, including federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities. This report is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

I would like to acknowledge the many courtesies and assistance extended to me by personnel of Postville Community School District during the course of my audit. Should you have any questions concerning any of the above matters, I shall be pleased to discuss them with you at your convenience.

Keith Oltrogge

Certified Public Accountant

November 25, 2009

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Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable
To Each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance
in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133

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Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable

To Each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance
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To the Board of Education of Postville Community School District

### Compliance

I have audited the compliance of Postville Community School District with the types of compliance requirements described in U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2009. Postville Community School District's major federal programs are identified in Part I of the accompanying Schedule of Findings. Compliance with the requirements of law, regulations, contracts and grant agreements applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of Postville Community School District's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on Postville Community School District's compliance based on my audit.

I conducted my audit of compliance in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether non-compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Postville Community School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances. I believe my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion. My audit does not provide a legal determination on Postville Community School District's compliance with those requirements.

In my opinion, Postville Community School District complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2009.

### Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of Postville Community School District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing my audit, I considered Postville Community School District's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinion on compliance but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Postville Community School District's internal control over compliance.

My consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the District's internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses as defined below. However, as discussed below, I identified a deficiency in internal control over compliance that we consider to be a material weakness.

A control deficiency in the District's internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions to prevent or detect noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the District's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the District's internal control. I consider the deficiency in internal control over compliance in the accompanying Schedule of Findings as item III-A-09 to be a significant deficiency.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by the District's internal control. I consider the significant deficiency in internal control over compliance described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings as item III-A-09 to be a material weakness.

Postville Community School District's responses to the findings identified in my audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings. While I expressed my conclusions on the District's responses, I did not audit Postville Community School District's responses and, accordingly, I express no opinion on them.

This report, a public record by law, is intended solely for the information and use of the officials, employees and citizens of Postville Community School District and other parties to whom Postville Community School District may report, including federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities. This report is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Keith Oltrogge
Certified Public Accountant

November 25, 2009

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### Schedule of Findings

### Year Ended June 30, 2009

### Part I - Summary of the Independent Auditor's Results:

- a) Unqualified opinions were issued on the financial statements.
- b) Significant conditions in internal control over financial reporting were disclosed by the audit of the financial statements, including a material weakness.
- c) The audit did not disclose any non-compliance which is material to the financial statements.
- d) A significant deficiency in internal control over major programs was disclosed by the audit of the financial statements, which was considered to be a material weakness.
- e) An unqualified opinion was issued on compliance with requirements applicable to each major program.
- f) The audit disclosed no audit finding which are required to be reported in accordance with Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Section .510 (a).
- g) Major programs were as follows:
  - CFDA Number 84.010 Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies
  - CFDA Number 84.011 Title I Grant Migrant Education
  - Clustered programs:
    - O CFDA Number 10.553 School Breakfast Program
    - CFDA Number 10.555 National School Lunch Program
    - CFDA Number 10.559 Summer Food Service Program
    - o CFDA Number 10.558 Snack Program
- h) The dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs was \$300,000.
- i) Postville Community School District did not qualify as a low-risk auditee.

### Schedule of Findings

### Year Ended June 30, 2009

### Part II - Findings Related to the Financial Statements:

### INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were reported.

#### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCIES:

II-A-09 Segregation of Duties – The limited number of personnel makes it difficult to achieve adequate internal accounting control through the segregation of duties and responsibilities, such as recording and processing cash receipts, preparing checks and bank reconciliations, preparation of journals and general financial information for ledger posting, and the analysis of financial information. A small staff makes it difficult to establish an ideal system of automatic internal checks on accounting record accuracy and reliability, although I noted the District had taken steps to segregate duties between the present personnel. This is not an unusual condition, but it is important the District officials are aware that the condition exists.

<u>Recommendation</u> – I realize that with a limited number of office employees, segregation of duties is difficult. However, the District should review its control procedures to obtain the maximum internal control possible under the circumstances.

<u>Response</u> - The District is aware of the lack of complete segregation of duties and will make changes as the opportunity arises.

 $\underline{Conclusion} - Response \ accepted.$ 

II-B-09 Check-Signing Machine - I noted that a check-signing machine was used to sign checks. I also noted that the person who wrote the checks, journalized transactions and reconciled the bank accounts had access to the check-signing machine.

Recommendation – The District should establish procedures to control access to the check-signing machine, such as having another person control the key to the machine and establishing a log of the numbers of the checks signed that reconciles to a counter on the machine.

Response - We will review our procedures controlling access to the check-signing machine.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

II-C-09 Annual Financial Statements — The ability to apply generally accepted accounting principles to the financial statements and determine the sufficiency of the footnote disclosure is a necessary aspect of internal control over the District financial reporting process. The District does not possess an individual with the appropriate expertise to apply generally accepted accounting principles to the financial statements and to draft and determine the sufficiency of the necessary disclosures. The District has a limited number of employees and it is not cost beneficial to employ an individual with this type of expertise and knowledge. The internal financial statements prepared by the District are not prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and do not contain the required footnote disclosures.

<u>Recommendation</u> – This is common control deficiency of most small Districts and is often not corrected due to cost benefit considerations. I could assist you in gaining the necessary knowledge and skills if you determine that this is a control deficiency that the District would like to address.

Response - We will consult with you as needed on financial statement considerations.

Conclusions - Response accepted.

### Schedule of Findings

### Year Ended June 30, 2009

### Part III - Findings For Federal Awards:

#### INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were reported.

### SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCY:

CFDA Number 10.553: School Breakfast Program
CFDA Number 10.555 National School Lunch Program
CFDA Number 10.559 Summer Food Service Program
CFDA Number 10.558 Snack Program
Federal Award Year: 2009
U.S. Department of Agriculture
Passed through the Iowa Department of Education

CFDA Number 84.010: Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies

CFDA Number 84.011: Title I Grant - Migrant Education

Federal Award Year: 2009 U.S. Department of Education

Passed through the Iowa Department of Education

III-A-09 Segregation of Duties – The limited number of personnel makes it difficult to achieve adequate internal accounting control through the segregation of duties and responsibilities, such as recording and processing cash receipts, preparing checks and bank reconciliations, preparation of journals and general financial information for ledger posting, and the analysis of financial information. A small staff makes it difficult to establish an ideal system of automatic internal checks on accounting record accuracy and reliability, although I noted the District had taken steps to segregate duties between the present personnel. This is not an unusual condition, but it is important the District officials are aware that the condition exists.

<u>Recommendation</u> – I realize that with a limited number of office employees, segregation of duties is difficult. However, the District should review its control procedures to obtain the maximum internal control possible under the circumstances.

Response - The District is aware of the lack of complete segregation of duties and will make changes as the opportunity arises.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

III-B-09 Check-Signing Machine – I noted that a check-signing machine was used to sign checks. I also noted that the person who wrote the checks, journalized transactions and reconciled the bank accounts had access to the check-signing machine.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The District should establish procedures to control access to the check-signing machine, such as having another person control the key to the machine and establishing a log of the numbers of the checks signed that reconciles to a counter on the machine.

Response - We will review our procedures controlling access to the check-signing machine.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

### Schedule of Findings

### Year Ended June 30, 2009

# Part IV - Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting:

- IV-A-09 Certified Budget Expenditures for the year ended June 30, 2009 did not exceeded the certified budget.
- IV-B-09 <u>Questionable Expenditures</u> No expenditures that may not meet the requirements of public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979 were noted.
- IV-C-09 <u>Travel Expense</u> No expenditures of District money for travel expenses of spouses of District officials or employees were noted. No travel advances to District officials or employees were noted.
- IV-D-09 <u>Business Transactions</u> Business transactions between the District and District officials or employees are detailed as follows:

Name, Title & Business Connection	Transaction Description	Amount
Laura Lubka – Board Member & Owner of Reggie's Auto Body & Shorty's Detailing	Repairs and maintenance	\$1,631

In accordance with an Attorney General's opinion dated November 9, 1976, the above transaction does not appear to represent a conflict of interest.

- IV-E-09 <u>Bond Coverage</u> Surety bond coverage of District officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to insure the coverage is adequate for current operations.
- IV-F-09 Board Minutes The minutes record was examined and appeared to give a condensed account of business transactions by the Board. No transactions requiring Board approval which had not been approved by the Board were noted.
- IV-G-09 <u>Certified Enrollment</u> No variances in the basic enrollment data certified to the Department of Education were noted.
- IV-H-09 <u>Deposits and Investments</u> No instances of non-compliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapter 12B and Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa and the District's investment policy were noted.
- IV-I-09 Certified Annual Report The Certified Annual Report was filed with the Iowa Department of Education timely.

### Schedule of Findings

### Year Ended June 30, 2009

# Part IV - Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting (continued):

- IV-J-09 Categorical Funding No instances were noted of categorical funding being used to supplant rather than supplement other funds.
- IV-K-09 <u>Statewide Sales and Service Tax</u> No instances of non-compliance with the use of the statewide sales and services tax revenue provisions of Chapter 4234F.3 of the Code of Iowa were noted.

Pursuant to Chapter 423F.5 of the Code of Iowa, the annual audit is required to include certain reporting elements related to the statewide sales and services tax. For the year ended June 30, 2009, the District's financial activity and other required information for the statewide sales and services tax are as follows:

Beginning balance	\$ -
Statewide sales and service tax revenue	414,682
Expenditures/transfer out:  Debt service for school infrastructure:  Revenue debt	 207,466
Ending balance	 207,216

IV-L-09 Deficit Balances - One student activity account had a deficit balance at June 30, 2009.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The District should continue to investigate alternatives to eliminate those deficits in order to return these accounts to a sound financial condition.

Response – The District is continuing to investigate alternatives to eliminate deficits in the student activity accounts at the end of the fiscal year.

<u>Conclusion</u> – Response accepted.